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PATENT APPLICATION
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

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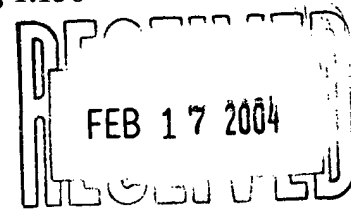
Examiner: Ann M. McCamey

Filed: January 23, 2002

For: **BOARD CONNECTOR AND METHOD OF ATTACHING BOARD CONNECTOR**

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450



Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of two
(2) months, extending the time for responding to the Office Action of September 17, 2003 to
February 17, 2004.

A check for the statutory fee of \$420.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and
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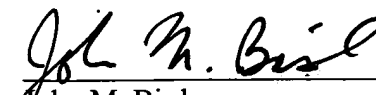
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